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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

Sir:

This Amendment is filed in connection with Request for Continued Examination filed on the same date, and in response to the final office action dated December 22, 2006. Favorable consideration and entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.

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